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ANTITELOMERASE AGENTS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 2, 2007, setting a three-month period for response set to expire on July 2, 2007. This response is therefore timely filed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims 22 to 24, 29, and 31 to 33, cancel Claim 30, and add Claims 34 to 36 as shown below.